

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: TOD PAULUS ET AL.

Filed: FEBRUARY 12, 2002

For: DC OFFSET REDUCTION IN RADIO-FREQUENCY APPARATUS AND ASSOCIATED METHODS

Serial No.: 10/074,676

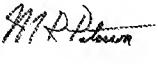
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Examiner: LEE, J.

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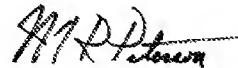
Dear Sir:

The Applicant hereby requests the Office to advise the undersigned of the status of this application. More specifically, on May 30, 2006, the Applicant's attorney received a telephone call from Examiner Lee. The Examiner states that the application had become abandoned, but could not identify the specific reason for the stated abandonment. Moreover, the Applicant has not received any other notice of abandonment from the Office.

The last correspondence from the Office constituted an office action dated December 1, 2004. In response, on March 29, 2005, the Applicant submitted to the Office an Amendment and Response to Office Action, a Request for an Extension of Time, a Submission of Formal Drawings,

and a postcard (copies attached). Subsequently, the Applicant received the postcard back from the Office, indicating receipt of the materials by the Office on April 1, 2005 (please see the attached copy). Since then, the Applicant has not received any communication from the Office, other than the telephone call from the Examiner, described above. Accordingly, the Applicant submits this status inquiry.

Respectfully submitted,



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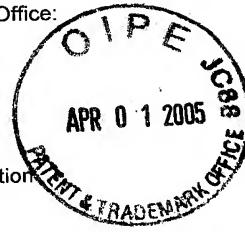
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